STEAMBOAT DIALOGUE.

Hoosier (stepping up to a Down Easter).

Yankee: Tolerable, thank ye; how be-

Hoosier: What kind of trade hev ye?

Yankee: Patent right for a machine

for making all kinds of seed out of wood.

from shell-bark down to grass seed .--

Have also a patent right for the mirage

yearself? Bound to no place in particu-

Yankee: Wall, it's a patent right.

Hoosier: Patent right for what?

lar. In for any kind of trade.

How are ye, stranger? Bound to Noo

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The noble banyan's mighty shade, The jungle wild, or graceful glade, Speak thy Creator's power. Earth wears a robe of living green, And gems of purest ray, I ween,

BY FANNY MORTON.

Thy never failing dower. Myriads of balmy opening flowers, Enchantment lend the fleeting hours. But midnight brings to view, A holy calm, bright starry eyes, A brilliant arch thrown o er the skies, The earth impearled with dew.

A silence as if earth and heav'n, By sin and death no longer riv'n, In primal purity; Mute incense offered at the throne Of the "Great Architect" alone. And earth a paradise again, Angelic hosts communed with men.

## Miscellann.

I wish had some of my clothes. The Maxwell. know he was, he kept shivering so.'

"for they get used to it." " Hush, my son," said his mother. "Well, mother, just as if flesh and blood did not feel such weather as this, with only an old strip of cloth between them. Aunt is covered wite flannel from know what cold is.'

agree, and the worst of it was they did regular old-fashioned whalers—a raft a not agree to disagree. "What is the boy's name besides

Pinch?" asked his mother. " Jed Little. I guess he has no father For sale in sums to suit. We are prepared to and I do not know where he lives. I draw direct on London, Liverpool, Swansen, only know he is a good fellow, and real "Well," said Mrs. Maxwell, "if you can do anything for him, I shall be glad

to have you." "Good," cried George, turning to his book again, "before to-morrow night I will take the shiver out of poor Jed, if I can." He could now study better. Jed was not at school the next forenoon. George asked where he lived: I nounce that he has become the proprietor none of the boys knew-none at least with a branch at the house formerly occupied to find him. It was an old block of by Judge Irvin as a law office, at the west buildings in another part of the town. and of Sugar Run Bridge, in Pomeroy. By a which he made a business to search rompt attention to business and the producthrough and through after he got there. basement windows, and George spied

" Halloa," cried he. Jed came to the door and peeped out. "Where are you bound down here?"

"Looking you up, old fellow," said "Mother is lining my trousers, and

I've nothing to wear while she is doing you come in.'

George went into the little room where children, whom the long and severe win- with the Chicago diptheria?" ter was pinching to the extent of their very slender means. Such a box of a sticker. stove, George thought, and about a porringer of potatoes; and Jed with his a man that none of it ever comes out, summer pants on and a blanket over his Common doctors, of the catnip sort, call

till she had time to fix them. She sews logs at that." peace-meals. I wish 'twas always sum. Summary of Women. mer, George, like the tropics geography | The Boston Courier gives the follow-

tells about." "Poor Jed," said George to himself, lyzed by Michelet in his new book: as he ran home; "poor fellow, poor fel- A pair of rosy lips is chiefly signifi-

when poor Jed Little is freezing."

of dinner for the destitute family.

Upon graduating, students "I know it, mother, I know it, it's

on his return, bringing home a serious, EALER IN OILS, PAINTS, BRUSHES, "Jed could not speak, he only looked, and looked; his mother did the thanking. I did not want thanks, only it seemed to do her good. Jed grabbed squeezed it so; some other time, said he, thus: and that was all he could say."

Twenty years or more had passed generally become stupid as they advance away, and a poor miner was taken from in years.' At the head of Steamboat Landag, one of the Sacramento boats and landed The lad immediately replied, "what a turnout altogether." at San Francisco. He was poor, friend- keen boy you must have been.

less, and sick, scarcely able to walk, and sunk down on a box of goods under a him, or noticing him thought it not tranquil mind, farewell content and the attended a country meetin' where he worth while to inquire into his misfor- evening papers, and the big cigars that took down the different topics of convertunes. At last when the bustle began make ambition virtue, oh, farewell! sation. to lull, a couple of men came along.

again. "Who is he?" asked a third.

" Maxwell, I think," said the other, Maxwell, a down-easter?"

invoice of goods. Maxwell, where ?" They pointed him to the sick man.

Maxwell," he repeated, half aloud, and do it. It beat him. boyhood again. "Maxwell," he said leon's grand army. He wears a huge a sprinkle of nutmeg makes-

stranger, grasping the miner's thin hand eyes up at the ceiling, like a monkey Chicago afterin his right horest, healthy grip, "God hunting flies, and then came down one The long-promised millenial day, able to carry a dozen of you on my back. sound, similar to that produced by a out through the ministration of-

pinched; but he is real clean, and his wonderful faithfulness of God's Provi- that I was in an orchard listening to the track, and this at an estimated cost of knees and elbows are well patched; he dence, whereby a bundle of old clothes, distant braying of a jackass. Now he was dreadful cold in school to-day, I planted twenty or twenty-five years be- ran his fingers along the keys, and I "Five cents a dozen, I sold four hens "The poor do not suffer half so much friendship, food, hope, shelter, medi- store box or a picket fence. All of a off three besides any number of chickens from cold, as we think, said his aunt, cine, and a prospect of better business sudden he stopped, and I thought some- and \_\_\_\_\_ well had been.

### WALKING A RAFT.

There was a fellow once stepped out of the door of a tavern on the Mississipppi, meaning to walk a mile up the shore to the next tavern. Just at the fernal noise stopped and I heard my "Running at the rate of twenty-five "What'll become of the boy miles an hour with no head-lights on; ouired the agitated maiden.

Well, the fellow heard the landlord say the raft was a mile long, and he said to himself, " I will go forth and see this great wonder, and let my eyes behold the timbers which the hand of man hath hewn." So he got on at the lower end. and began to ambulate over the wood in pretty fair time. But just as he got started, the raft started too, and as he walked up the river, it walked down, both traveling at the same rate. When he got to the end of the sticks, he found versation between the author of "Traits of a tavern; so he landed, and walked writer says: straight into the bar-room he'd come out of. The general sameness of things took

it in his own way : . "Publican," said he, " are you gifted sized tavern, with a duplicate wife, a you, my hoy, a genius too? Are you

The tayern keeper was fond of fun. and accordingly said that it was just so. going to make as great a name and fame "And, Publican, have you among your as your father?" dry goods for the entertainment of man and horse, any whisky of the same size

of that of your brother's ?" down of the same, he had.

They took the drinks, when the the Littles lived - a poor widow with four I'm afraid that he suffers a good deal and worldly possessions, they will in-

shoulders; while his mother was patching strips of flannel into his school confectionery, there was a raft at his selves that natural germ or genius which confectionery, there was a raft at his none can give or take away, depend trousers, and they the best he had. It contectionery, there was a raft at his none can give of take away, depend sion go down among you oil diggers?" was the reality of poverty which he selthat raft from bill to tail, from his door culture and cultivation. If they have it "I thought I would just hunt you up, to yours. Now, I know my time, an not, the consciousness of its absence, Vests, Shirts, Cravats, &c., on hand, at prices Jed," he said, making as if he would go. I'm just as good for myself as for a hoss, and being constantly taunted with such for he felt half ashamed of his thick coat beside his poor, half clad school mate.

Store under the "Gibson House," Pomeroy, O. Sept. 28, 1869.—38-6m

Thank you ever so much for compact the compact of ing," said Jed, "it is good in you. Why and I'll be busted with an overloaded stand exercising, over a child of broodyou see I almost froze in school yester- land I it be busted with an overloaded ing and morbidly sensitive and misanday, and mother did not want me to go coming here, steppin over them blamed thropic temperament, so depressing an

ing spicy summary of Woman, as ana-

texture, which though gifted with tion of the "r" made the speech sound "You are a good boy," said his aunt. speech, usually remains silent, uncom- so very like "the quack doctor of the Poisoning Rats. "You are a good boy," said his aunt. speech, usually remains shent, uncompact of the good! I am not good. I've not a plaining, suffering in the presence of spark of goodness in me," cried he.

"You are a good boy," said his aunt. speech, usually remains shent, uncompact of the good lend, and wife to go to Chicago. Get West as that great rough, course, tyrannical the only course left open to the doctor son for killing rats is pumpkin seed.—

The best food with which to mix points and wife to go to Chicago. Get West as the only course left open to the doctor son for killing rats is pumpkin seed.—

Irishman, "a green hand," to assist in To Teachers.—The Roard of School Ex- The Roard of Scho

> orange. DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, thoughtful, softened look with him. Madam, if Heaven had only made you a negress, you would have been irresisti-

A boy being praised for his quickme by the hand when I came off and ness of reply, a gentleman observed "When children are so very keen they him once more:

MY WIFE'S PIANO.

The deed is accomplished. My wife shed. In the hurry nobody noticed has got a piano, and now farewell the has an "attack of phonography," recently "And, on ye mortal engines, whose rude | "Vote for Lovejoy!" exclaimed a po "There is that poor fellow," they said; throats the immortal Jove's dread clam- litical aspirant, indignantly, "I'd as he is never likely to see his home ors counterfeit." But stop, I can't bid soon vote for Wm. Lloyd Garrison himthem farewell, for one of them has just self, loaded down as he is with---' arrived. It came on a dray. Six men "Two of the fattest beef critters you "Don't know his name," answered carried it into the parlor, and it grunted ever set your eyes on;" interrupted a awfully. It weighs a ton, shines like a dealer in cattle, "that I sold for-The name arrested the attention of a My wife has commenced to practice, and have sounded like a whisper if she had stranger near the wharf, looking over an the first time she touched the machine, been on the other side of the room,

"Maxwell." he said, looking up, thunder-storm, and the lightning had wearsstruck the crockery chest. The cat, with "Teeth and toe-nails to get the office;" a six-shilling pane of glass. The baby is-"A good deal older than any Maxwell awoke, and the little fellow tried his best "Spavined in both hind legs, wind ever knew," he said. "Maxwell, to beat the instrument, but he couldn't broken and foundered to boot, as I told the name seemed to flood him with memo- A teacher has been introduced into the "One tea-cup full of butter, two of

"That is my name, sir, George Max- He played an extracted opera the other and-"George Maxwell," exclaimed the hair twice, then grinned, then cocked his somebody stole it, while I was gone to ling through a knot-hole in a hen-coop. danced about likenoise was never heard before. I thought a handsomer pair of whiskers, or a more I've allers thought a heap of you! I a tree, or boat, or the machine; or it a hurricane had struck the house and insinuating-

> the Count rolled up his sheet of paper, that she is going to marry-I can't make it look like anything else cough, and I don't know what he hasn't tance, leaned her head against the honniggers climbing over.

came insane, was the subject of a con- ground thatthey were pretty near shore, and in sight of Character" and Mrs. Campbell. The a boy, and depositing my report in my the boat, I've got a job for him!"

aberration of intellect to any known and specific cause, or whether it was THE OIL REGION IN PENNSYLVAhim a little aback, but he looked the landlord steady in the face, and settled hereditary? She answered no-that he had always been a shy, slow boy from childhood. The only cause she could writing from among the oil works of with a twin brother, who keeps a similar assign as possibly tending to his ultimate Pennsylvania, says: insanity was this: "The very constant habit of visitors,

After these oft-repeated words, he would start up, anguish stamped in each bored, or being bored. As to the elecline of his face-Mother, what is to be- tion, it is entirely forgotten in the eagercome of me? I shall never be a genius, ness of securing a fortune. A politithe rising of the sun even unto the going I cannot learn'-would then rush out of cian drove up to Father Raymen's Ruthe house and be lost sight of for hours. ral House, in Franklin, (the old man it." said the boy, "I cannot go out, so stranger said, "Publican, that twin duces people to talk thus to the children daily,) and after getting his dinner, very fine man indeed. But do you know, ing and expecting that, with their name by asking, 'How is politics?' herit also the more priceless patrimony "And what's that?" asked the todd- of intellectual wealth. But I think the habit most injudicious, and of great the prospect for Douglas or Breckin-"It's when the truth settles so firm in questionable advantage to the ultimate ridge?

influence, that ulterior insanity, as in the case of young Campbell, is an issue, four miles on Sandy Creek," however, to be deplored, one scarcely to be much marvelled at."

A singular warning to our fash-

Anamboo, an African prince, visting England received so many attenThe Colonel Thompson, of our county, while cats, fowls, &c., not being fond of writes a Southern correspondent, is an such food will not meddle with them.—
There the worthy Captain forgot his from the quay, "Captain! I lost your wery rough in me, but aunt will forgive me for speaking so."

"Go" said his aunt and mother both.

"Go" said his aunt and "Good morning, colonel!"

"I bought it only a day or two ago." "How is your family?" "Two hundred and fifty dollars." The Squire perceived that the colo-

"Anything new, colonel?" And so they parted.

COUNTRY MEETIN' TALK.

An Illinois editor, who sometimes

mirror, and has curved Cupids climbing "That horrid yellow dress again," exup its limbs. And such lungs-whew! claimed Miss Spruce, in what might I thought we were in the midst of a "painted, too, and halfan inch thick, and

tail erect, took a bee line for a particular broke in another politician, "but peowho seemed to have fallen asleep. He friend upon the back fence, demolishing ple will not trust him again; besides he a tall young man of 23 years, who had

Mr. Jarvis at the timeries which took him far back into his house. He says he is the last of Napo- sugar, three of flour, four of eggs, and again, and again his attention was drawn moustache, looks at me fiercely, smells Both ends meet, when the year

Maxwell," he said, seeing him awake. Run-a-way-never-come-back-again-by. got six children, the oldest one blind, night. He ran his fingers through his "No saddle or bridal to ride him with;

bless you; and who am I but Jed Little, of his fingers, and I heard a delightful which we have no doubt is to be brought WHAT A SUIT OF CLOTHES CAME TO. Come, come, my home is your home .- | cockroach dancing upon the tenor string | "Two Dutchmen, a monkey, and a "Mother," said George Maxwell, It is all summer with me now, and you of a fiddle. Down came another finger, hand-organ to grind it, and oh! it made how you've growd! Where you going?" there is a poor boy in our school, who shall share my summer with me, George and I was reminded of the wind whist- the funniest music, and the little figures

than mining could ever be for one so thing had happened. Then came down Such a handsome young man; and he

the walls had caved in. I imaginined I "Handle to my tea-pot, and Tom dewas in the cellar, and a ton of coal clared he had not touched it all, and he was goin' to have you. Now Cynthia With this cord tied around the arm or was falling about my head. I thought knew Emily hadn't for she had been all Ann-just say the word, and you're to waist, let the beginner walk out till the

miles an hour with no head-lights on; quired the agitated maiden. "Exquisite!" "What the duce is and around a curve, at that, when the the matter?" The answer was, "Why, locomotive broke the bridge over-' your uncle's and then we'll go West and him off his legs, and he will then find dear, that's La Somnambula!" "Con- "That young Miss Browne that had hire out this fall and winter, and then no difficulty in making a few strokes, found Somnambula!" thought I; and the small pox last spring. They do say next spring we'll buy a small farm and even at the first attempt. In fact, by

than a rail fence with a lot of juvenile had poor darling! This is the first time est breast of the hardy youth, as much rather floating; and by gently thrusting I have taken him out since-" The Mexican war, which I consider as to say, it you want anything take it.

The Mexican war, which I consider The man snatched a kiss from her exactly in imitation of the movement of Thomas Campbell's son, who be- perfectly unjustifiable, unless it is on the ripe ruby lips, sprang down from the a frog in the water, he will accomplish

pocket I proceeded in the school-house I inquired if she could trace his to muse upon the utility of phonography. A correspondent of the Boston Post

"The hotels are crowded, people often sleeping three in a bed, and one comporting wood-pile and corresponding when calling, saying to him, 'Well, are hears nothing talked of but 'patrolmen,' when calling, saying to him, 'Well, are 'surface indications,' 'boring,' 'territory, 'pumping,' &c. Landlords, doctors. lawyers, ministers, blacksmiths, and almost everybody has interest in a well The motive perhaps is good which in- has two wells, pumping fifty barrels done, and what ought and must be done. Splendid Chance. stranger said, "Publican, that twin brother of yours is a fine young man—a of clever and celebrated parents—assum—brother of yours is a fine young man—a of clever and celebrated parents—assum—by asking 'How is politics?'"

"Don't know any such well around here," replied Father Raymond. "But," says the stranger, "what is

"Oh!" says Boniface, "I don't know; it all depends on whether there are any surface indication.' "But," continues the guest, "will fu-

"Fusion!" exclaims the landlord, well, I don't know; some of these chaps called geologists says that there must be fusion below, but my opinion is that the d-l has something to do with it down there, before we get it." "But," says the politician, "are you jofired good ax."

not in favor of Squatter Sovereignty in the Territories? "Ho! I will shoot anybody who dares to squat on my territory, and I own "Give me my horse!" says the stran-

Happiness.

ger, and vamosed.

"He is dinner time, said its additional feeding of very small children may renhighly respectable medical practitioner and said for the widows of the United Grand
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that, in a moment of tenderness, he could not refrain from laying his hands on his heart, and exclaiming. "Oh! Madam, if Heaven had only made you a Madam, if Heaven had only made you a Madam. If Heaven had only made you a Madam, if Heaven had not you had you ha troublesome pests upon creeks or ponds wife, the other for the boys. may be poisoned with arsenic upon | The couple now retired to their sumptupieces of parsnip or sweet apples.

It was the last request before sengers gathered into knots to praise quadrille. nel's mind was on his carriage, and tried death of a gentleman of Boston, recent the liberality of all concerned, and the deceased, that his remains should be ex- comical oddity of Capt. Evans. amined daily for a period of ten days. "Yes, the harness is new, too-a new in order to make sure of the fact that fear of being buried alive.

A Touch of Nature Makes the Whole World Kin.

On board the steamer Ocean, between Cleveland and Detroit, a circumstance Leans, 'spect? What mout be yer busioccurred last week which is pleasantly ness? Want to buy some corn or oats? told by a correspondent of the Cleveland Herald.

A young girl, apparently about 17 years of age, was seated upon a pile of cheese boxes, with two little brothers, aged 11 and 13 years. They were orphans, bound from Allegheny, Pennsylvania, to Michigan, where they expected to find a home with an uncle .-After having purchased second class tickets for the three, the girl had spread her old quilt on the pile of cheese boxes and prepared to pass the night in quie-She had hardly arranged her nest, however, before she was accidentally discovered by a second-class passenger, loved her in secret almost from her infancy, who, for the past two years, had been rafting lumber on the Ohio inventor? river. Having acquired about two hundred dollars in hard currency, he came to Cleveland on the tenth to participate in the celebration, when, as he expressed

it, "some mean kuss picked his pocket to the poor miner. "Your name is of garlie, and goes by the name of Count comes round, poor woman! for she has of every darned cent but four dollars." Being unable to find the thief or the money, he had started for the West with the determination to hire out on a farm. To his surprise and joy he found himself on board the same vessel with the object of his heart's earliest affections. Sliding up to her, he exclaimed:

"Why, Cynthia Ann! why how do'you dew? I didn't hardly know you! Why "I'm going to uncle's in Michigan," was the feeble reply. "You knew mother was dead, didn't you?" "Why, no!" and his voice softened.

When did she die, Cynthia Ann?" "She died last January! Uncle wrote fore, yielded an abundant harvest- thought of a boy rattling a stick upon a to Mrs. Wilson, and the hawks carried to me that if I'd come up there he'd give me and the boys a home. "Cynthia Ann!" and the young man's voice trembled-"there ain't no man'll "Let me see you try it," said George. delicately brought up as George Max- both fists, and, oh, Jerusalem! such a dances so beautifully. Did you ever see be so glad to give you a home as I will! fresh or salt water, is to attach a cord to

live to hum!" He calls it music; but for the life of me "The searlet fever and the whooping The girl gave a warm sigh of accep- sarily expands the chest, he will find he

> "The preacher has come," exclaimed a minister or Justice of the Peace on many weeks with the corks and blad-"I am a Justice of the Peace," remarked a venerable looking old man power of the water to sustain him on its

boxes, ank you shall be a married man in less than five minutes." fired good ax."

"Never mind about the pay," said the worthy squire, "I'll take my pay in seeing under him, he would find that his comyou happy.' The fellow re-mounted the cheese placently in without sinking. A few boxes, clasped the hands of his dearly such experiments, and then he might, beloved, and in three minutes the ceremony was performed-he had entered into a new existence. Kissing his little cord, the young beginner will have no bride once on her ready lips, he seated fear, saving for a few mouthfuls of wahimself on a big cheese and commenced, ter, and these he will not care about so no doubt, for the first time, to realize what he was, where he was, what he had

this is a pretty hard way of passing the sented, of course, and he was soon seated first night!"

But John had an idea and he was bound to put it in operation. Going to loaded down; the trees are very low, an his pile of baggage, consisting of shirts, the man is dead!" socks, neckerchief, and old boots, he Any one who has gathered chestnut took from the leg of one of the boots, an with the fear of the "man coming," cr excellent ax, and walking up to the at once see the advantage of the locatio clerk's office, he exclaimed:

myself and w-i-self and woman. I The gentleman in the office replied that the clerk had stepped out, but would manded Jonathan, with a tender grin be back in a few moments, whereupon of expectation.

to look at his precious treasure. Having our sympathies aroused, we hastily ran around among the passengers, Jerusalem! what a wish! replied Jontold the story, and took up a collection athan, "when you're handsome 'nuff Now let me tell you a secret a secret to procure a state-room for the young neow. But I'll tell yer what I wished, ionable exquisites -- so large a number worth knowing. This looking forward couple. To the credit of our lady pas- Sally-I wished you was locked in my as he ran home; "poor reflow, poor reflow, p the room with his cheeks aglowing. "I bones which are in constant need of the ciation of the letter "r" the best "pwoof know of it I should as soon chase butterthe room with his cheeks aglowing. "I bones which are in constant need of the want you to make up a bundle of clothes for Jed Little; quick, mother."

"It is dinner time," said his aunt.

"It is d

> Capt. Pierce exclaimed : " Here, my arsenic, which will adhere to the seeds.—
> They will be eaten by rats and mice coin and said: "Here's five dollars! loading his sloop with malt. Just as the vessel was about to set sail the Irish-

"Death loves a shining mark," out of curl for a married man.

warning.

life-preserver. Hoosier: Meerage-what's meerage? Yankee: It's a machine to be fixed on

the front of a locomotive or steamboat, with reflectors of great power, to show the image of anything ahead, no matter how far it be off-anything under a hundred miles.

Hoosier: Don't say! And are yer tha Yankee: I be. Hoosier: You're a horse. What mout

your name be? Yankee: Coffin Hoosier: Heerd tell of your family .-You are a relation of the man that invented wooden hams and plaster-paris shoe-nails. Had a brother once, hadn't

you, that got accidentally choked with a rope round his neck? Yankee: Knew the man-wasn't a brother-only a second cousin to my wife's sister's aunt's brother's cousin .-But what might your name be?

Hoosier: It might be Smith, but it taint. Calculate it's Caster. Yankee: Knowed yer family well from yer great grandfather down. You air one of two twins. One was a handsome, ente, bright-eyed little chap, and the other a tarnation ugly, born fool; and I heerd that the cute one died. Here the dinner-bell rang.

Learning to Swim.

The best plan for learners, when in told your mother when you wasn't more'n these are not available, get a companion so high, that when you growed up, I to hold the end of the cord on shore .water is up to his chin, and then turn s?" in. round and face the shore. He may even then back out a little farther, when he "I'll go with you and leave 'em to will find the force of the water taking holding the head well up, which necesas to say, if you want anything take it. out, and drawing in the hands and feet, cheese boxes, and exclaimed, "If there's more in two or three days than in as ders-that is, he will have more confidence in himself, and know more of the from York State. "Remount the cheese suface. A better knowledge even of this he will have by keeping his back to the shore till out in deep water as far "Well, hold on, squire! I haint got as he can go, then throwing back his no money, but I'll give you an all jo- head, expanding his chest, making, as it were, a curve with the back, and allowing the legs to float outward and from panion on shore could draw him comby the gentle action of the hands and feet, work himself on shore. With the

long as he learns to swim.

Starting up suddenly, he exclaimed, Riding out the other day, a little fello and began a busy talk. We inquired a The bride blushed, and replied to the chestnut crop, and if he was goin; Never mind, John, we are just as to gather any. His eyes brightened u happy as if we were rich. Come, sit a moment, replying with great earnest

of the six second growths above me:

"I say, look here, Cap'n, Ive paid for tioned .- Ashtabula Sentinel. a deck passage, but I want a bed for A love lorn swain broke a wish haint got no money, but here's an all bone with his "heart's queen," some where in New Hampshire. "Neow, what d'you wish, Sally?" de-

the man went back to the pile of cheese "I wish I was handsum," replied the fair damsel, "handsum as Queen Vic-

"Did you give resent?" inquired Bun-

And so saying, Spoodleix gathered ap his coat-tail in a halloo of fine-cut

glory and stalked forth.

"A little more animation, my ous apartment, as happy as mortals are al- dear, "whispered Lady B --- to the genlowed to be on this earth, and the pas- the Susan, who was walking through the

"Do leave me tomanage my own business, mamma," replied the provident nymph; "I shall not dance my ringlets life had really departed, he having a Gentlemen with brandid noses will take Of course not, my love, but I was

not aware who your partner was."